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**METHOD AND** 

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NONMANHATTAN SEMICONDUCTOR

INTEGRATED CIRCUIT USING

SIMULATED EUCLIDEAN

**WIRING** 

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 05/02/2003, please amend the patent application as follows:

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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